

WE ARE A EUCHARIST CENTERED PEOPLE WHO, AS THE BODY OF CHRIST, LIVE OUR FAITH IN WORD AND DEED BY SHARING OUR TIME, TALENT, AND TREASURE TO SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER AND SERVE THOSE IN NEED.

February 4, 2018

<u>Mass intentions during February 5th - February 11th</u>			<u>Liturgical Ministers on the weekend of February 10th – February 11th</u>	
Mon.	8:00	Mr. Jim Maestri and Family, Gloria Bordi	Sat. 5:00 pm - Lector	Michael Acorne
Tues.	8:00	Jim Giovando	Eucharistic (Cup)	Michael Nistler, Raeanne Facendini, Don Vachini
Wed.	8:00	-	Altar Minister	Darlene DeBernardi, Adrianne Paskal, Katie Facendini
Thurs.	8:00	-	Sun. 7:30 am - Lector	(CB)(1)John Caballero(2)Ofelia Rains
Fri.	8:00	Maureen Nelson (L), Shelly Lafranchi	Eucharistic (Cup)	Tom Maloney
Sat.	8:00	-	Altar Minister	Michael Filice, Gloria Marcucci, Marie Fletcher
	5:00	Helen Keane (L), Rico Respini	Sun. 9:00 am - Lector	Sharon Dado, Carolyn Scherini, Don Patterson
	7:30	Alfonso Mendez, Maximiliana Valencia	Eucharistic (Cup)	(CB)(1)Madelyn Rynning(2)Sullivan Henry
		Pedro Garcia Jimenez, Anita Lopez	Altar Minister	Chris Lagos
		Angelina Maldonado, Leopoldo Valencia	Sun. 10:30am-Lector	Ross Hicks, Martin Van Tassell, Anthony Anasco
Sun.	7:30	Lina Mancini	Eucharistic (Cup)	Russ Ferreira, David Lee, Dan Berry
	9:00	Carolyn Van Bebber, Al Caletti, Helen Burke	Altar Minister	(CB)(1)Eva English(2)Miron English
	10:30	-	Sun. 10:30am-Lector	Susan Sikora
	12:00	Roberto y Ernestina Saucedo	Eucharistic (Cup)	Donna Dilena, Diane Miller, Rosalie Steward
		Josefina Del Toro, Salvador Barajas	Altar Minister	Evelyn Adams, Jim Carr
		Ricardo Magana		(CB)(1)Catalina Vaca(2)Madison Grady

DO YOUR 2018 PLANS include growing in your personal relationship with God? The 8 week Wisdom: God's Vision for Life series examines biblical wisdom as it relates to daily life. The format revolves around DVD presentations, a personal journal with talk notes and spotlights on holy role models and small group discussions. On Tuesday nights in the parish hall from 7 pm to 8:30 pm. Sessions end on March 20th. You can register at the parish website (www.svdppetaluma.org) or at the rectory during business hours. Try it the first week to see if it is for you. For more information, please call Joanne Ferris at 707-762-4278 x 21.



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH: VALENTINES DAY BAKE SALE AFTER ALL MASSES!! The nonprofit group, North Bay Performing Arts Association, (NBPA) is having a Valentines Day Bake Sale after all masses! Please stop by our tables on Sunday, February 11, 2018 to buy a Valentine's treat and support the Association's mission of bringing art and dance to the local community by presenting ballet productions in conjunction with Marcella Contessi of Contessi Ballet. This year NBPA will be presenting the beautiful ballet, Coppelia, performed in 3 acts, at Person Theater, Sonoma State University on Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 6:00 pm. Discounted tickets are also available for a student school show on Thursday, May 24, 2018 at 9:30 am. This story, set in the village of Galicia in Eastern Europe, is favored by children as they watch mechanical dolls come alive and dance in the mysterious workshop of Dr. Coppelius and the beautiful festival of bells to celebrate a special wedding.



BRANCH 127 OF THE ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION will be holding an All You Can Eat Crab Feed benefiting scholarships and local charities on Saturday, February 24th at 6:15 pm at St. James Hall, 125 Sonoma Mountain Pkwy, Petaluma. Cost is \$45 and tickets must be purchased in advance. For reservations & further information please call Louise Vicino (707-769-7389).



ST. VINCENT'S KEYS ARE NEEDED - anyone who has a KEY to one of our facilities, church or hall and who does not need it any more, please bring it to the rectory. Thank you.

THE CATHOLIC ADULT SINGLES ASSOCIATION OF MARIN is a group of 50+ single or single again Catholics who are interested in making new friends, taking part in social activities, sharing opportunities for spiritual growth and becoming involved in volunteer projects that will benefit our parishes, our community and one another. We welcome those who are interested. For membership and event information, please call Bob at (415) 897-0639. Please come to a planning meeting. In our effort to offer interesting and enjoyable events for the members of the Catholic Adult Singles Association, we need your ideas and support. Share your ideas with us and maybe suggest and support an event. It's really easy. And, if you're unable to attend a meeting, but have an idea or would like to suggest an event, just call Bob (415) 897-0639 with your information. Make a point to come in your birthday month and we will all help you celebrate and get to know everybody.



ALTAR SERVERS ARE NEEDED at all masses. This is a great opportunity for youth to participate in a Liturgical Ministry. This ministry is for all youth entering 4th grade through high school. **Altar Server Training** is given to each person. We are hoping for a great response. To participate or for more information, call RoseMarie at 762-4278 ext. 14.

LINEN VOLUNTEERS are needed to wash and iron the altar linens. This is a very relaxing and soothing task. Please contact Noreen Tiernan at 707-765-2751.

THE SPANISH COMMUNITY invites you to participate in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament that is held every third Saturday of the month after the 7:30 pm Spanish Mass. Everyone is welcome!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 5TH – FEBRUARY 11TH

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3-5, 10-11; Mk 7:1-13
 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40; Mk 7:24-30
 Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-15; Mk 7:31-37
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-22; Mk 8:1-10
 Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11; 1 Cor 10:31 - 11:1; Mk 1:40-45



Religious Education/ Spiritual Formation Classes – It is time to register or re-register! **We offer an inter-generational process for all parish members.** All families are warmly welcomed and invited to join our Family Centered Religious Education process. The goal is to encourage and equip you to live and teach your children the Catholic Faith at home. We will share all the knowledge and tools you need to bring your children up in the Faith. As we begin the 12th year of our study of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, we will focus on Our Creed for the 2017 – 2018 school year.



LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN - is offered during the 9:00 am mass for children in Grades 1 through 6. These scripture sessions go year-round. No registration is required. Open to all children in this age group.



CONFIRMATION (only second year students) will be on Sunday, April 8th, 2018 at 3:30 pm (English Mass) and 6:00 pm (Spanish Mass). Rehearsals are on Friday, April 6th at 5:30 pm in Spanish and Friday, April 6 at 7:30 pm in English. Please make sure your Patron Saint report and Sponsor form are turned in and your bill is paid now. For more information, please call Louise Martin at 707-762-4278 ext. 15.



YOUTH DAY, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA on Sunday, March 11, our diocese is hosting it's first Youth Day at Cardinal Newman Gym from 11:00 - 4:00 pm. Mass will be said by the Bishop. \$10 for the day and that includes your lunch. We need your help for this wonderful day! Parents, please contact Louise Martin to help with carpooling from St. Vincent to Santa Rosa. All Confirmation and high school students should attend to hear the amazing speakers addressing teen issues. We need your help for this wonderful day!



SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES – (formerly known as RENEW) are groups of Parishioners who meet during Advent and Lent for prayer and faith-sharing fellowship. Many parishioners have experienced small group sharing during our recent Bible Studies. Since one of our goals in the parish is to deepen community life, we encourage those of you who have never tried a small group to call Claire at 763-9075 and inquire about meeting new people in the parish and getting together during Lent (February 14th - March 31st).



CONGRATULATIONS - to Peyton Ann Goebel, Jaxon Thomas Grulkowski, Nicolas Paul Hoseit, Priscilla Maribel Mendoza and Brantley Kenneth O'Dwyer who received the Sacrament of Baptism.



PARISH SYMPATHY - We extend our sympathy to the family of Mervyn G. Conger.

PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Last Sunday's offering:
 Sunday Basket: \$9,440
 On-Line Giving: 1,844
 Total: \$11,284



The second collection for the Maintenance Fund was \$3,930.

Thank you for your generous donations.

NEXT WEEKEND there will be a much-needed second collection for the **St. Vincent de Paul Society**. We truly need your support to provide food for the needy people living in our parish area. Each month we give \$15 food vouchers to over two hundred families. Your financial support makes this worthy mission possible. If you would like to join our small group, please call Jim Dougherty at 762-7216.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS



Registration has opened for Kindergarten and transfer students in all grades! Find out more about our engaging program and our dynamic community: SVES - 130 years of Faith, Academics and Service in Petaluma! Call for more information at 762-6426 or go to www.svelem.org. Applications requested by Thursday, February 15th.

OUR SPRING IS FILLED WITH FUN WHICH CELEBRATES AND SUPPORTS

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Elementary and High Schools.

ANNUAL FASHION SHOW: Let's Dance! Throwback to the 80s. Saturday, March 3rd at the Sheraton Hotel in Petaluma. Featuring two performances: 11:00 am Matinee seating is \$75.00, 5:30 pm. Dinner seating is \$85.00. No-host bar at both events. In addition to the exciting fashions modeled by our own St. Vincent students, the event will feature music by the SVHS Jazz Band, a silent auction, as well as fun games! The winner of our 2018-19. \$15,000 Tuition Raffle will be announced at the dinner show. Don't miss this amazing event. For tickets, go to <https://www.biddingforgood.com/svdpschools/fashion> or contact Cathe Anderson at catheanderson32@gmail.com.



TUITION RAFFLE - Don't miss your chance to purchase tickets for this year's raffle. Tickets are \$100 each and can be applied to ANY accredited California K-12, College or University of the winner's choice. The winner of our 2018-19 \$15,000 Tuition Raffle will be announced at the Fashion Show dinner on Saturday, March 3rd. You need not be present to win! For tickets, log on to the St. Vincent de Paul High School website at www.svhs-pet.org or call the Advancement Office at 707-763-1032 ext. 124.

CENTENNIAL GALA - Our once in a lifetime Centennial Celebration is Saturday, April 21st at the Petaluma Veterans Memorial Building in Petaluma. 100 years of friends, community and memories. Tickets are \$125.00 including dinner and a hosted bar. Doors open at 5:30 pm with events throughout the evening. For tickets, contact the St. Vincent de Paul High School Advancement Office at 707-763-1032 ext. 124.